Statement laid on the Table.

PRESIDENT.

The next item of business is the statement to be laid on the table by the Finance Member.

Mr. K. KRISHNA PISHARODI.

Sir, under Rule 52 of the Legislative Council Rules, I beg to place on the table the following statement of expenditure authorised by Government under section 16(9) of the Legislative Council Regulation, VIII of 1098:

Item.	Remarks.
Demand 11. Registration—Temporary Establishment. Rs. 270.	On account of the extension of the term of the temporary clerk for revising the *Registration Manual* for a further period of five months on a pay of Rs. 50 per mensem and the entertainment of a typist for one month on a pay of Rs. 20 for typing the manuscript copy of the revised *Manual*.
Demand 15. Law & Justice—(c) Criminal Justice. Establishment. Rs. 36.	At present the Darbar has no knowledge of the exact number of fire arms possessed by different persons in the State. As such information is absolutely necessary, the District Magistrate was ordered to muster all fire arms in the State, when he camped at different centres, and impress upon each fire arm the number of the license under which the weapon is held and also the seal of the Darbar. For this reason, the licenses for the year 1101 which should have been granted early in Chingam have not been issued till now. Consequently complaints were received from the public, who make use of fire arms, of the inconvenience they were put to on account of the delay in issuing the licenses. As no further delay could be caused in the interest of the public, a marker with some skill in the work has been entertained for a period of three months on a pay of Rs. 12 per mensem. Hence the expenditure.
Demand 17. Police—Travelling allowance. Rs. 1,000.	On account of the travelling allowance of the three persons selected for Police training at Vellore. The question of sending these men for training was settled only after the budget session and previous to the legislative session, and as such the Council's sanction could not be obtained beforehand. Hence the expenditure could not be anticipated.

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